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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1
TAGS: PFOR SU SA SG
SUBJECT: ALLEGED COMMUNICATION BETWEEN USG AND SAG AMBASSADORS
CAIRO ON SUDAN

REF: KHARTOUM 965 AND PREVIOUS

WHEN I SAW FONMIN FAHMY MARCH 23, HE SHOWED ME CABLE
HE HAD RECEIVED FROM EGYPTIAN AMBASSADOR KHARTOUM GIVING
TEXT OF FAKE LETTER FROM AMBASSADOR EILTS TO SAUDI
AMBASSADOR NAZIR. I TOLD FAHMY THAT AMBASSADOR EILTS
HAD SENT MESSAGE SAYING HE HAD WRITTEN NO LETTER TO
SAUDI AMBASSADOR AND THAT THIS LETTER WAS OBVIOUSLY
SPURIOUS. FAHMY AGREED THIS WAS SO BUT WONDERED WHO
COULD BE ENGAGED IN THIS EFFORT, INCLUDING FALSE YEO
STATEMENT, TO DAMAGE US RELATIONS WITH ARAB COUNTRIES.
THE FAKE EILTS-NAZIR NOTE WAS PRETTY CLUMSY, BUT THE
SPURIOUS YEO STATEMENT HAD GOTTEN WIDE ATTENTION
BECAUSE MANY PEOPLE TENDED TO BELIEVE ITS CONTENTS.
FAHMY WAS INCLINED TO PLACE BLAME ON EITHER ISRAELIS
OR SOVIETS AND TENDED TOWARD LATTER.

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